

ESTABLISHED 1840.

LITTLE ROCK.

Whites vs. Black Radicals—County Finance

—Ones on the War Path—How

at a Camp Meeting.

Special to the Appeal.

LITTLE ROCK, July 25.—A gentleman

from Clinton county sent a telegram

confirming the reported trip of Me-

son (negro) over Bagdad (white), as

Judge of the County and Probate

Court.

Judge Hovey, of this county, today

promised to aid the committee of the

chamber of Commerce in compelling

the county financial officers to make

an exhibit of their books for the past

three years.

Associated Press dispatch.

LITTLE ROCK, July 25.—A gentleman

who arrived at Fort Smith on the

22d instant, from the Indian coun-

try, says the Osages are on the war

path. On the 15th, a party started

on an expedition, ostensibly for bu-

ffalo hunting. They returned a couple

of days afterward with three white

scalps and horses loaded down with

plunder. It is thought they attacked

some train and were successful in

their raid.

A row, resulting in the death of two

Indians and one colored man, took

place a few days since at Smith

Park place, two miles west of Fort

Archie, Choctaw Nation. There was

a stampede among the whites, and

several people and Indians, when sev-

eral colored men got drunk, a fight

ensued, with the above result.

WASHINGTON.

DISTRIBUTION OF CURRENCY.

WASHINGTON, July 25.—About

eight hundred and fifty thousand dol-

lars will be required to pay the in-

terest on the funded loan due Aug-

ust first. This money will not be

sent direct to money centers, as heret-

ofore, and the change made in send-

ing the interest direct to the bond-

holders meets with favor in the West.

That section of country has com-

plained that New York has had an

excess of floating debt, owing to

government disbursements being

made there, and, therefore, rates of

exchange were fixed at a low rate in

New York, while in the Western

States they were at a high rate.

PUBLICATIONS.

The liberal system of granting fur-

lothers, which heretofore prevailed at

the Treasury Department, among

heads of bureaus and other officers,

has been curtailed. The Secretary

has issued an order stating that no

more than thirty days' absence in his

department will be allowed in any

fiscal year, under any circumstances,

whatever, and that no appeal from

this decision will be considered.

SMUGGLERS.

Attempts to smuggle goods along

the Canadian border are becoming

very frequent, and the regulations are

becoming more stringent. The Treasury

Department has recently issued an

order, stating that no more than

thirty days' absence in his depart-

ment will be allowed in any fiscal

year, under any circumstances, what-

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INSURANCE WANTED.

It is stated that seven citizens of

Washington, who are opposed to the

improvement of the Potomac river,

by the District Legislature, have

united in applying to the court for an

injunction against the court for an

CLAUDE LAUREL OUTDORE.

Daring and Successful Robbery of an Ex-

press Messenger on a Moving Rail-

road Train.

Special to the Appeal.

ST. LOUIS, July 25.—The Times this

morning learns from passengers by

the Mobile and Ohio railroad that a

train, on Hickman county, Ky., on

Saturday night last,

was stopped by three men, who

procured tickets at Union City, Tenn.,

for Clinton, Ky., got on the train.

When it halted at Moscow, two of the

robbers got off, and their confederate

remained on the platform of the car.

Observing no one but the messenger

in the express car, the train moved

out from the depot, the two jumped

into it and presented revolvers to the

rest of the messenger. They forced

him to hand over the key of the safe,

which one of them ransacked while

the other stood guard over the ex-

pressman. After taking out all the

money—supposed to be about \$20,000—

one of the thieves placed it in a

bag and the other, who had been

pulled the bull-car, and when the

train checked up, jumped out and

looked to the westward. They were

probably sent there to-morrow.

"WELL DONE, GOOD AND FAITHFUL

SEVANT."

ST. LOUIS, July 25.—The County

Court approved the action of

County Collector McGuire in his at-

ttempt to collect the delinquent taxes

of the Mountain, Pacific and North

Missouri railroads, and authorized

him to employ counsel at the county's

expense, in order to sue for the

amount due against him or his bond-

smen.

AN ISLAND DEPOPULATED BY EARTH-

QUAKE.

LONDON, July 25.—The Standard of

today publishes the details of a series

of earthquakes which have recently

occurred in one of the Philippine

Islands. More than two hundred

persons were swallowed up by the

land, and every one of them was

almost instantly killed. Six of the

dead bodies have been recovered. The

rest of the inhabitants fled from the

island, which has thus been utterly

depopulated.

KILLED BY A BLOW WITH BRASS

KNUCKLES.

ST. LOUIS, July 25.—At Mercedino,

Ill., yesterday, William Edmondson,

an old resident of that place, was

attacked by a man named John Har-

rison, who was armed with brass

knuckles, and was killed by a blow

on the neck with brass knuckles,

breaking the spinal column, killing

him instantly. An attempt was made

to arrest Edmondson, but being

armed, he resisted successfully and

escaped. Harison leaves a family

of five children, and is believed to

be a member of the Ku Klux Klan.

THE TEXAS INDIANS UNDER SEN-

ATOR'S DEATH.

ST. LOUIS, July 25.—The Republic

of Texas, in its issue of today, pub-

lishes the report of the Indian chief,

San Juan, who was killed while at-

tempting to escape, in Texas. They

were killed by a party of soldiers

of the United States army, who were

on a mission to capture him. San

Juan was a brave and noble chief,

and his death is a great loss to his

tribe. He was a friend of the white

man, and his death is a great

loss to the cause of peace in Texas.

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CRIMES AND CASUALTIES.

MURDERED HIS DAUGHTER.

NEW YORK, July 25.—Peter Mc-

Can was arrested in Newark yester-

day, on the charge of murdering his

daughter.

CROSS DESTROYED BY HAIL STORM.

ST. LOUIS, July 25.—A violent hail

storm, which was accompanied by

deluge winds, visited a portion of

the city, Missouri, about a week ago,

and completely destroyed all the corn

and tobacco in its path.

DEATH BY SKULL SMASHING.

ST. LOUIS, July 25.—A man, name

unknown, was killed, some twelve

miles from this city, yesterday, by

having his skull smashed by a stone

in the hands of some unknown par-

ties.

KILLED BY A FREIGHT TRAIN.

ST. LOUIS, July 25.—James Ash,

night watchman on the Missouri and

Pacific railroad at Franklin, was

killed by a passing freight train last

Saturday.

MURDER BY CALIFORNIA MINERS.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 25.—The min-

ing strikes at Hatcher comb have

been renewed. Hatcher comb, the

keeper of the Amador mine, has

been killed by a party of miners, who

probably are sent there to-morrow.

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WHAT ARE WE COMING TO?

An Express Driver Sapped and Robbed in

Open Daylight in the Center

of St. Louis.

Special to the Appeal.

ST. LOUIS, July 25.—A very bold

street robbery was committed here

just before noon, to-day, under the

following circumstances. One of the

delivery wagons of the United States

Express Company started out to de-

liver packages a usual. The safe was

in charge of D. W. Sanders. The

messenger wagon was driven by W.

Sanders, who was accompanied by

the messenger undertook to de-

liver what was purported to contain

seventy dollars, and addressed to

Mrs. Larkin, living in an alley be-

tween Fourth and Fifth streets, and

between Franklin avenue and Mor-

ris street.

Arriving at the mouth of the alley

the driver, and finding his wagon and

packages started up the alley. But a

few moments elapsed before he dis-

covered that no such person lived in

the alley, and finding his wagon and

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